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NONINGTON PARISH COUNCIL		
7.6.5.2017	19.30	VILLAGE HALL
Meeting called by	CHAIRMAN	
Type of meeting	MONTHLY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING	
Attendees	Cllr Tee (Chairman), Cllr Norton, Cllr Parker, Cllr Clayton, Cllr Perrin, Cllr Plumptre, Cllr Manion	
Clerk	Keith Holness	
Parishioners	17	
Apologies	Cllr Keen, PCSO Carmichael, Cllr Vurley	

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING			
	Cllr Tee		
Discussion	Minutes agreed and signed, proposed Cllr Clayton, seconded Cllr Perrin		
Action Items	Person Responsible	Deadline	
Nil	Nil	Nil	

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
	Nil

FINANCE	Cllr Tee		
Discussion	Accounts agreed Proposed Cllr Perrin, Seconded Cllr Clayton, unanimously passed.		
Action Items	Person Responsible	Deadline	
Nil			

HIGHWAYS	VACANT		
Discussion	Further data analysis of speed camera data showed that average speed through the village of all vehicles registered as over 30mph was actually 39mph. Further analysis will be sent to the PCSO.		
Action Items	Person Responsible	Deadline	
Send complete spreadsheet to PCSO	Clerk	5 <sup>th</sup> July	
Cllr Manion has started the ball rolling in getting HGV signage. Update at next meeting.	Cllr Manion	5 <sup>th</sup> July	

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PLAYGROUND AND POND	Cllr Parker		
Discussion	<p>The electrical work was inspected and it was thought armoured cable was necessary. Cllr Tee would investigate</p> <p>A quote of £1152 +vat from Coles was agreed so that work on the diseased chestnut tree in the pond area could begin.</p> <p>J Cranfield said that, on inspection, only one sleeper step needed to be replaced. The others could be levelled and he would then attach chicken wire as an anti-slip guard. A new quote was required.</p> <p>Cllr Tee said that he had been trying to obtain a grant for renewing the play equipment. Guston PC had recently had new play equipment installed and he would contact them for advice. Also, various suppliers were possible to buy equipment from, most of these prices were about £10k. Cllr Tee had found a local a supplier in Canterbury, Treetops, and would meet with them on site. There was about 30m of space available in the playground area.</p> <p>Following and inspection by KCC Highways it was found that the overflow from the drain in the playground was caused by a broken drain under the decking. KCC say this was caused when the decking was built and they were not prepared to pay for it. A new pipe was required from the existing unbroken pipe and running into the pond. The depth should be 150mm below ground. Cllr Tee would get quotes for the work.</p> <p>Also, a hole in the concrete footings was discovered by KCC on the support to the decking.</p> <p>There had been an increase in dog fouling and Cllr Clayton had prepared posters to be put up for one month initially to judge the effect they have. The 'No Dogs' signage in the pond area needed replacing. It was suggested self-closing springs could be put on the gates to the playing field area but there were issues with women with prams getting access to the play park.</p>		
Action Items		Person Responsible	Deadline
<p><b>Contact Mr Clark re: Electrical works</b>  <b>Contact tree surgeons re: tree work</b>  <b>Obtain grants for play equipment and meet with Treetops, Canterbury</b>  <b>Obtain quotes for pond drainage repair.</b></p> <p><b>Contact J Cranfield to get a revised quote for the playground steps work.</b>  <b>Check and order 'No Dogs' signage if necessary</b></p>		<p><b>Cllr Tee</b></p> <p><b>Clerk</b></p>	<p><b>7<sup>th</sup> July</b></p>

PLANNING	Cllr Tee		
Discussion	No objections to the recent applications which were published on the Parish Noticeboard and PC website.		
Action Items		Person Responsible	Deadline
Nil.			

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<b>INVICTA PLAQUE AND VILLAGE SIGN</b>	<b>Cllr Clayton</b>		
Discussion	<p>The Invicta plaque quote was £280 + vat supplied with bolts. Three were required. It was thought they could be placed on the current signage and Cllr Clayton would contact KCC for advice.</p> <p>The Historic Panel quote was £240 + vat. It was agreed to order the plaque with existing text and the PC would get it fitted to the decking.</p> <p>Cllr Manion said he would chase up the request for a NONINGTON sign coming down Mill Lane.</p>		
Action Items		Person Responsible	Deadline
<b>Update at next meeting</b>  <b>Send Cllr Manion details of signage request.</b>		<b>Cllr Clayton</b>  <b>Clerk</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> July</b>

PUBLIC INPUT AND OTHER BUSINESS			
Discussion	<p>.</p> <p>Footpath EE311, from Beachamps to St Albans was again discussed and Cllr Perrin said that KCC had agreed that the footpath had not been moved since 1980 therefore the trees planted along the footpath were not allowed. An office from KCC was now dealing with the infringement.</p> <p>A number of parishioners complained about the music noise level coming from a wedding party in the marquee at the Royal Oak public house. Police had been called and there was some alleged abuse to a resident by members of the party. There was an exchange of views between the parishioners and the Royal Oak's licensee and it was hoped the incident would be a 'one-off'.</p> <p>Cllr Tee said that one item for next month's agenda was about Councilor's areas of responsibility that might be changed.</p>		
Action Items		Person Responsible	Deadline
Add agenda item		Clerk	7 <sup>th</sup> July
<b>NEXT MEETING</b>			
	<p align="center"><b>NEXT MEETING 5<sup>th</sup> JULY 2017, 7.30pm AT THE VILLAGE HALL.</b></p>		

Signed as true.....A Tee, Chairman

Date.....